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Dear Dr. Lederberg,

A few days ago I returned from a trip to the United States which, unfortunately, did not give me any opportunity to visit Madison. At my return Dr. Ganesan showed me your letter to him (March 31st, 1958) and asked me to write you a letter of recommendation. It seems to me from your letter that a recommendation is no longer necessary. On the other hand I am very willing to do so, since Ganesan is really a very nice chap, quite knowledgable and tremendously energetic and enthusiastic and I feel convinced that you will like him. According to my experience he is far above the usual run of Indian students.

I also notice from your letter that you will be in Copenhagen either before or after the Microbiology Congress in Stockholm and on this occasion I shall have an opportunity of meeting you. However, I must tell you that if you plan to come to Copenhagen before the Congress the chances of meeting anybody at home are very slight indeed. This is due to the shortness of children's school-vacations in Denmark, which vitually forces all Danish fathers to take their vacations during July and the first days of August. I would therefore strongly recommend to come after the Congress if possible.

With kindest regards,

yours sincerely,

Heinz Holter.

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